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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.

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Applicants: Brian M. LEITNER et al.
Application No.: 09/608,645
Filing Date: June 30, 2000
Title: MEMORY UTILIZATION IN A NETWORK INTERFACE

**REPLY TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS
OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION**

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
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September 7, 2000

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated August 28, 2000, applicants submit herewith an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney in connection with the above-identified patent application.

Payment in the amount of \$130.00 to cover the required surcharge for late filing of the declaration, is made via American Express Credit Card. A copy of the Credit Card Payment Form is attached.

To the extent necessary, applicant(s) petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to the Deposit Account of Antonelli, Terry, Stout & Kraus, LLP Account No. 01-2135 (219.38119X00) and please credit any overpayment of fees to such deposit account.

Respectfully submitted,

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